SEVENTH ANNUAL
PIKES PEAK LAVENDER FILM FESTIVAL

"Bringing quality international lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender films to Colorado Springs"

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Dear Friends and Members of the LGBT Community:

The Pikes Peak Gay and Lesbian Community Center is partnering with the Pikes Peak Lavender Film Festival to let you know about this extraordinary event—our very own LGBT Film Festival in Colorado Springs, September 15th to 17th, 2006 at the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center. We are now the only LGBT film festival in the State of Colorado. Both the Community Center and the Film Festival are non-profit 501(c)(3) organizations.

The Festival opens on Friday, September 15th with a reception catered by Cravings and a LIVE CONCERT by OUT LOUD, the newly formed Gay Men's Chorus in Colorado Springs. We follow this with the documentary film, WHY WE SING! about LGBT choruses worldwide. On Saturday and Sunday, we offer a fabulous line-up of dramatic comedies. You have been telling us you want more comedies, and this year we have them with an almost entire program of comedic short films and features from a variety of countries and cultures. In addition, your purchase of passes and tickets includes wonderful parties, opening reception and a free continental brunch on Sunday with the LGBT community and friends. (See enclosed brochure).

We need your attendance to keep this Festival alive. There are still seats available. We are offering **Community Center members** a Full Festival Pass for only $60 (a savings of $15). To receive this discount you must purchase your pass by Labor Day by sending a check to: PPLFF, P.O. Box 1987, Colorado Springs, CO 80901 or take this letter to one of ticket outlets listed in the next paragraph. Individual movie tickets may be purchased at the ticket outlets also. Full Festival passes and tickets go on sale at the Fine Arts Center box office (719-634-5583) **after** Labor Day. You may also purchase tickets and passes on line at: www.pplff.org using PayPal.

Our ticket outlets (open every day) are conveniently located Downtown, on the Westside and in Manitou Springs. They are: The Underground Bars: 110 N. Nevada, (noon to 2am), Toons Music & Film: 802 N. Nevada, (4pm-10pm), The Bookman: 3163 W. Colorado Ave (10am-8pm) and Spice of Life: 727 Manitou Ave, Manitou Springs, (7am-6:30 pm).

Please participate in this wonderful event that volunteers give to **our community** each year. You'll have a fabulous time! Join your friends for laughter, movies and parties galore on September 15th to 17th at the Colorado Springs Fine Arts Center, 30 West Dale Street!

Sincerely,

Pikes Peak Lavender Film Festival Board of Producers 2006: *Arnell Alston, Bob Armintor, Skip Cochrane, Alma Cremonesi, Bill Crissman, Paul Forsett, Vicki Loomis, Meridith McBean, Jerry Morris, Barbie Obregon, Rachel Saver, Eric Verlo and Marie Walden.*